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A Laz Directs a Driver to Trabzon

A man from İstanbul was driving to Trabzon. When he reached one of the villages on the outskirts of Trabzon, the brakes on his car failed. The car went out of control. It struck a house and penetrated all the way to the center of the building.

The Laz who owned the house was shocked and totally confused by what had happened. Before he could say anything, however, the driver of the car began talking. He said, "Friend, I am trying to find my way to Trabzon and I came here to ask for directions on how to get there

The Laz owner of the house answered, "If you want to go to Trabzon, pass through this room and turn left. Then go down the hall and past the bathroom where you will see another room. Pass through that room, and you will be headed toward Trabzon